



STATE OF WASHINGTON
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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October 28, 2024

RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Wickman Construction, LLC*,
Docket DG-230687

TO ALL PARTIES:

On September 13, 2023, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) assessed a \$1,000 penalty (Penalty Assessment) against Wickman Construction, LLC (Wickman Construction) for a violation of RCW 19.122.055(1)(a). The Penalty Assessment provided the Company with the opportunity to suspend, and ultimately have waived, an \$800 portion of the penalty subject to the conditions that: a) Wickman Construction pay \$200 of the penalty amount; b) Wickman Construction employees responsible for excavation complete National Utility Contractors Association (NUCA) Dig Safe Training within 90 days of the date of the Penalty Assessment; c) Wickman Construction submit documentation of completion of Dig Safe training; and d) Wickman Construction not commit any additional violations of RCW 19.122 within 12 months following the Penalty Assessment.

On September 20, 2023, Wickman Construction filed a response requesting mitigation of the penalty, which was denied on October 30, 2023.

On November 14, 2023, the Commission received notification from Wickman Construction admitting to the violation and accepting the Commission's offer to suspend an \$800 portion of the penalty subject to the stated conditions.

On October 5, 2023, the Company submitted the required documentation of attendance of Dig Safe training.

On November 15, 2023, the Company paid \$200 toward the penalty.

On October 25, 2024, Commission staff (Staff) filed a letter in this docket informing the Commission that the Company has complied with all of the conditions set forth in the Penalty

Assessment and recommends that the Commission waive the suspended \$800 portion of the penalty and close the docket.

The Commission agrees that Wickman Construction has complied with the conditions set forth in the Penalty Assessment. The suspended \$800 portion of the penalty is thus waived, and this docket is closed.

JEFF KILLIP
Executive Director and Secretary